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TO THE EDITOR OF "THE JOURNAL OF THE ROYAL ARMY MEDICAL CORPS."

SIR,—If any of your readers have copies of the Journal for the months of December, 1925, and May, 1926, which they require no longer, I should be most grateful for the leaves containing the papers commencing on page 410, and page 321, respectively.

I am, &c.
R.A.M. College,
April 20, 1928.

W. P. MacArthur,
Brevet Lieutenant-Colonel, R.A.M.C.

Notices.

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